wents, it is impossible to fathom him, and, unless he is telling the truth, he is the of the most monumental liars ever created.

The chief point of contention is over the charge of criminal assault, which the prisoner denies. Mrs. Shields also says there was no criminal assault, but her statement is taken as one made necessarily under the circumstances. The point is really not one of very great imperiance, so far as a confession of it is concerned. The prisoner has admitted everything else—his presence in the louise, the robberty, the attack upon the mother and child. If there was criminal astault, and the court will ascertain this fact, it is inconceivable that anybody left Williams was the perpetrator.

At all events, Williams denies, and denies strenuously, that he did more than rob and strike. He says no thought of anything else ever entered his head. A touch of carnestness entered his/voice as he spoke of this phase of the case.

"I swear before God Almighty, I will take outh in any court, that I did nothing else," he said.

Plea of Lunacy.

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It seems that in the seclusion of his cell Williams has suddenly bethought him of a peculiar tendency that might be of wait in a court-room. With the same evil smile, that constantly sinks into a leer, he told his tale yesterday. He is incelugent and talks well.

"They say I am moon-struck," he says. "Leastways, when the moon changes I get strange and curious, and have to go out in the woods by myself. In Pennsylvania they kept the criendar on me and watched me when the moon would give me a fit. I'd have to wait till my senses came back. When I had a fit I didn't know what I did or nothing. I was in an insane asylum in Baltimore two years, I wasn't exactly crazy, but the moon gave me fits. I pulled a plank off the fence and stole out."

"I suppose you had one of these fits when you committed the Roanoke crime?"

"Yes, sir," said Williams, slowly.

"Then you don't remember what you did there?"

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"Some," rather dubiously. "It came to me."

"And you might have committed a criminal assault and not known it?"

Williams tried to explain that this was impossible. He said he had never done so before, but it was recalled to his mind that he didn't know what he did beforewhen he was moon-struck. He obstinately persisted that he did nothing more than rob and beat Mrs. Shields.

"I am sorry I did that." he said, with strange inconsistency, after he had told his blood-curddling lale with a smiling face. "I don't know what made me go to the house, but I suddenly found myself there, I have been a thousand times sorry. I want to be forgiven. If I had ever been in my right mind I would not have hit her. I will ask her to forgive me. Then if I have to die I will be satisfied, for I want to be forgiven."

He said he realized how serious his case was—that he would m all likelihood be hanged. He wanted to live, he said, but even if he did, he would be better satisfied I he could be forgiven.

Told His Tale Again.

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The peculiar brute element in the negro's character is everywhere manifest in his account of what he says happened in the Shields house. It will be recalled that Williams had before said he could remember nothing he did when he was "moon-struck." The reporter dropped this phase of the conversation and gave the negro a chance to forget it. Then he suddenly asked for a full statement of what occurred. Without hesitation the black man began at the befulcing and told it all.

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His face wore the leer that is his
mest characteristic mark. He told how
he had approached the Shields house and
spoke to a negro woman who came thereterm. He said he didn't know why he
went in, but he did. He knocked at the
deor, and, getting no response, walked
in. Then he told, as was recorded yesterday in his confession, how he began
to eat in the parity; how Mrs. Shields
came in; how he struck are with a
hatchet, and so on and so on, through
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en to Ronnoke, where the people would inflict the punishment he deserved. He said further that his daughter was still ill, but was slightly better on Friday. Mildred, the little girl, is suffering much from the effects of her burn. She has not seen her mother since the day of the assault.

Mr. Hiberger, of Richmond, is reported to believe that all of Williams's confession has not been made public. Williams says it has, and said he gave it of his own volition. He said he pondered five days over it, and decided that he ought to be punished for his crime. He admits, however, that he was influenced by a statement that Mrs, Shields did not want him hanged, but merely imprisoned.

HOGS HUNT RABBITS.

When Bunny Takes to a Hole They Root Him Out. (Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

ROXBURY, VA., Feb. 13.—It may appear strange, yet it is true, Mr. Charlie-Bowry, a prosperous young farmer near Quinton, has a drove of fine Chester hogs which have taken the place of the hounds whose voices have been slienced

by the law. Now Mr. Bowry's hogs go rabbit hunt-Now Mr. Bowry's hogs go rabbit funi-ing every day. As soon as they strike a trail a noise is made by the leader which her brood understands, when all join in doleful sounds. As soon as the rabbit is on its feet the tune is changed, and the sound then would frighten a nervous person out of his wits.

There is no escape for the poor rabbit.

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The hogs are relentless when once on its feet. Often it is run into the ground, he is not safe, for every hog begins to excavate with his snout for the hidden rabbit, and it is always found.

The writer was present Monday when the mother hog came home with a dead rabbit in its mouth, followed by its little brood. The little pigs were squalling after the rabbit as if it had been a ear of corn.

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smooth. The reporter suggested to min that he was a monument; par, but he protested time and again that he was telling the truth. When he was speaking of the assault, he did not seem to be impressed with the horror of it. The only terrible thing he seemed to see in it was the penalty the law prescribes. He measured his crime by the punishment. And then suddenly he told how sorry he was and how he wanted forg veness. He might have been lying, but his carnestness was well feigned.

It may be as he says, that he is a peculiar creature, little removed from the beast, subject to fits, irresponsible, moon struck. There is no way to tell. He talked for a half-hour, and then the reporter left with no very clear idea of what to make of the negro except that he was a marvel of bestiality.

Take Him to Roanoke.

The fail authorities expect that Williams will be taken to Roanoke about Tuesday or Wednesday. There will, of course, be a strong military guard. The danger of a riot vill be very great, and the soldiers will be in no enviable position.

The father of Mrs. Shields wrote to his son here yesterday that the people of Roonoke were delighted at the capture of the man. He added that it was "a dirty shame" that Williams was not tak-

(Continued from First Page)

That is, Murphy would like to see Judge That is, Surepay Would like to see studge Farker nominated, if he were certain of one thing, and that one thing is, that David B. Hill would not be regarded by the Parker administration as the leader of the Democracy of New York.

Mutations of Politics.

The mutations of politics are as re as City the Democratic convention has adjourned for the day a few minto be adjourned for the day a few min-utes after convening because of the tre-mendous demonstration which greeted the mention of the name of David B. Hill. It was feared by the few spirits in con-trel of the convention that the delegates would be stampeded to the New Yorker would be stampeded to the New Yorker, and give to him the nomination, which was being saved for Mr. Bryan. Bachday of the convention the mention of the name of Mr. Hill was the signal for tremendous applause, which was not surpassed in enthusiasm by the demonstration which followed the nomination of the Reven. When Thomas Grady, on Mr. Bryan. Mr. Bryan. When Thomas Grady, or the last day of the convention, made his Mr. Bryan. When the convention, made his way to the platform and in a stentorian voice declared that on behalf of the united Democracy of New York he presented as a candidate for the office of Vice-President the name o David Bennett Hill, the convention went whid, and when Mr. Hill arose and started to make his way to the platform and protest ugainst his name being voted upon, even Richard Croker tried to prevent his do. Ighand for the tried to prevent his do-ing so. But Mr. Hill shook himself free from the grasp of the celebrated leader of Tammany Hall, and mounting the platform declared that he would not accept the nomination to the secon was nominated, and Bryan and Stevenson was nominated, and Bryan and Sevensor were defeated by a greater majority than were Bryan and Sewall in 1896. There is nobody who believes that Mr. Hill went home from the convention believing that a winning ticket had been nominated.

None So Poor.

To-day Mr. Hill, the idol of the con vention of four years ago, could not get a single detegate from the State of New York, and his name is never even men-tioned in connection with the nomination, and if it were there is no doubt that Willie Hearst would capture more dele-gates than he. For Mr. Hill induced the Democrats of New York to put a plank in their interest. in their platform in 1992 declaring for the government ownership of coal mines. But Mr. Hill may prevent the nomina-tion going to Judge Parker, because of the fear of Tammany that the Parker ad-ministration would be a Hill administra-tion so far as the city and State of New tion so far as the city and State of New York were concerned. So the man who has been in the habit of saying of late that David B. Hill is dead politically should revise what has become a favorite expression.

If Judge Parker is to have the endorsement of Tammany, and without it he cannot secure the nomination, he must solemily obligate himself not to recognize the existence of such a Demo-

cognize the existence of such a Demo-crat as David Bennett Hill. His doing crat as David Bennett Hill. His doing so would doubtless make an enemy of Mr. Hill, but the enmity of Mr. Hill is not likely to have other than a good effect upon the candidacy of any man in New York.

SHORT POLICE DOCKET.

Number of Small Cases Disposed

of by Justice John.

The police docket, aside from the Thorpe case, amounted to little worth public attention.
Charles Washington took 36.75 from Gracio Street, and it landed him in jail for ninety days.
William T. Golffey got a similar term for being a vag and begging on the street.
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FULTON BUREAU.

People's Drug Store, No. 3900 Williamsburg Avenue, Papers on sale. Want Ads. Received.

FULTON NEWS.

The Anti-saloon League of Virginia will begin an active campaign in Fulton to-morrow night. The meeting will be held at Denny street Methodist church at 8.15 o'clock. Rev. A. A. Jones, pastor of the church, will have charge of the meeting, and the speakers will be Professor S. C. Mitchell and stev. J. W. West. After the addresses a business meeting will be held for the formation of a local league,

The place of voting for First Precinct Marshall Whrd (Fulton) has been moved from Rocketts Bridge to the corner of Fifth and Denny Streets. The charge is greatly appreciated by the masses as it is now in the center of the residential and business district and off of Main street.

The Presbyterians of the city will shortly open up a mission school and reading room in Fulton. A similar school is now operated with great success by Weddell Memorial Episcopal Church.

The Presbyterian school will be located near the Richmond Cedar Works and close to the Chesapeake and Ohio Rail-

Mrs. John Boulware gave a box party Friday night at her residence on State Street for the benefit of the parsonage fund of Fulton Baptist Church. The evening was delightfully spent in playing flinch, pit and other parior games. Mr. Henry Leonard acted as autoloneer and disposed of the boxes at a very good figure. An excellent collation was served.

The Ladles' Ald Society of the Fulton Bapist Church will meet to-morrow afternoon at 3 o'clock in the lecture room of the cliurch.

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Mr. R. M. Pilcher went on a hunting trip a few days ago at Allen's Crossing, in lower Henrico, and was successful in bagging 26 robins.

Mrs. Hopburn, wife of the Rev. David Hepburn, is improving after a severe spell of illness.

The Ladder's Appliany, Society of the The Ladies' Auxiliary Society of the Denny Street Methodist Episcopal Church

will meet to-morrow afternoon at 3 o'clock at the residence of Mrs. John Wann on Denny Street.

The Bullders' League of the Denny Street, Methodist Episcopal Church will meet Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the residence of Mrs. Charles Schmidt, on Denny street. on Denny street.

The Parsonage Society of the Denny Street Methodist Episcopal Church will meet to-merrow night at the parsonage.

A new electric light, which has been needed for some time, has been placed on the corner of Fullon and Denny Streets.

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The "Tackey Party" given at Donahue's Hall yesterday afternoon, under the Auspices of Mgs. Dora Horcum, was a very attractive affair. The little children who attended wave dressed up in "tackey" costumes and enjoyed themselves very much. The proceeds of the party are for the benefit of the Fulton Baptist Church.

A box party for the benefit of "Monty rose Chapel, near the National Cemetery, was given Frillay night under the management of Mrs. J. M. Bryant, wife of Superintenders Bryant, of the National Cemetery.

Cometery:
The night school which is being conducted at Aveddella Memorial Chapet is progressing alcely. A farge number of young men and bays are on, the roll, and the Aew. Guy Christian, pastor of the chapet, is much pleased with its progress and success.

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Miss Ella McDonough, who sprained her ankle while sleigh-riding on Fulton Hill about two weeks ago, is getting along

Mr. Charles Seal, who has been ill with appendicitis catt the home of his parents. Mr. and Mrs. Horace Seal, on Fulton Hill, is improving slowly.

Mrs. R. Nelson will give a Valentine Tea on Thursday night at Nelson's Hall.

on Williamsburg avenue.

Last Thursday night, at her residence on Nicholson Street, Miss Norma Mosby delightfully entertained the members of the X Social at a Valentine Tea.

The condition of the H-year-old son of Mrs. Cash, on Graham street, is slightly

Mr. George Whitlow and Miss Maud C.

Sabbath school will convene at the usual Nur. George Whitlow and Miss Maud C. Schwartz were quietly married on Wednesday night at 9 o'clock, at the pariors of the Rev. A. A. Jones, pastor of Denny Street Methodist Episcopal Church.

Rev. D. Gary Peuse, of Roanoke, Va., will begin a series of meetings to-morrow night at the Apostolic Church.

Mrs. Robert Williams, who has been extremely ill at the residence of her father, Mr. Jesse P. Throckmorrom, on State Street, is able to sit up.

Charlie Knight, the little boy who was operated upon Friday for trouble with a knee Joint, at the Retreat for the Sick, is getting along nicely.

Mr. W. T. Davis, who had one of his legs badly broken while at work at the Virginia and North Caroliha, Wheel Works, continues to improve, Mr. Alex. McCabe is able to be out after a severe illness.

Sabbath school will be immediately-followed by the Union League.

The Highland Springs branch of the Numar's Antional Alliance will meet on Monday next with Mrs. E. S. Read at her delightful home, the Manor House, it is hoped that there will be a large attendance.

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FAIRMOUNT NEWS.

The Peaks sisters and Brownies of the Fairmount Maccabees will repeat their entertainment to-morrow night at Curd's Hall, Venable and Mosby Streets.
Mr. R. J. Goodwin of 117 Twenty-third Street, has left for California to visit his son, Robert Goodwin, Jr., who has located there.

there.
Civeland Kerns is reported as progressing nicely at the Memorial Hospital, where list week he underwent anoperation for appendicitis.
Following is a list of those promoted at Fairfield High School: Junior Grade—Lizzie Clyborne, Dalsy Dunlavey, Phil Garnette, John Gary, Intermediate Grade

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-Palmore Coleman, Jennie Thompson, Clara Dunford, Susie Taylor, E. R. Harris, of Richmond, who recent-ly purchased one of the new houses on the fourteen hundred block, is now occu-

pying it. Mr. N. O. Glenn of Amelia county visit-ed his daughter, Miss Mollie Glenn, here last week.

Mrs. Oswald Knight was the guest of

Mrs. Oswald Knight was the guest of Mrs. George Knight last week. Mrs. Herbert Newberry, who has been quite sick, is improving. Messrs. Henry Ligon and Willie Wright of Amelia county were guests at the home of Mrs. Kate Putze last week. Mrs. Robert Rose is visiting Mrs. Kate Putze on Twenty-first Street. Henry Miller is quite iii at his home on Twenty-third street. Little Virginia Stutz is recovering nice-

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Little Virginia Stutz is recovering nicely from a recent operation.

The Home Circle of King's Daughters of Christ Church ar ebusy making arrangements for an elaborate entertainment to be held Tuesday night at Powell's Hall.

Misses Etta M. England, State commander of the Maccabees, was with the Fairmount hive of busy bees Tuesday at their review, and presented this hive with a handsome set of spears for their diligent work. She was assisted by Miss Conners, State deputy. They were entertained after the meeting adjourned by the ladges, and refreshments were served.

Mr. Core has taken the last one of Atkins's houses, and has moved his family here from Baltimore.

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Mrs. W. W. Pendleton left yesterday for Manassas, Va., to spend some time with her sister, Mrs. Rohr.

Mrs. Z. T. Potter has returned from Philadelphia.

Mr. Mercelle Martin, who has been ill with pneumonia, is now able to be up.

HIGHLAND SPRINGS.

There will be no preaching service at the Methodist Episcopal Church to-day, the Sundays for preaching having been changed from the second and fourth to the first and third Sundays of each Month, Sabbath school will convene at the usual hour, and will be immediately followed by the Union League.

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The second meeting of citizens in regard to the street-car-situation was held recently at East Richmond Hall, when a committee of citizens from Highland Springs conferred with them.

Mrs. Annie E. Silver has returned from a very delightful trip to Baltimore, where she visited her daughter. Mrs. Gilmore.

A society for charitable work has been organized by the young laddes of the community, under the name of "The Willing Workers."

Mrs. John L. Jones is still unable to

Mrs. John L. Jones is still unable to use her hand, which is slowly improving.

ELKO NOTES.

Albert Turman, of Petersburg, visited his brother during the week. Willie Baker of Richmond spent Sunday with W. C. Baker, Miss Juanita Robins has returned home

J. B. Turner of Newport News paid a visit to his sister, Mrs. E. B. Winn, last

visit to his sister, Airs. E. B. Whith, awek.

Mes. Myrtle Sharpe has returned home after a pleasant visit in Richmonds.

Cards are out announcing the marriage of Mr. Tobias Gibbons and Miss Lucy Goddin, to take place Wednesday afturnoon at 5 oclock at Antioch Baptist Church.

Miss Mary Baker is expected home today to spend two weeks.

Roli of honor-Eila Baker, Eyelyn Kahl, Carrie Baker, Ruth Robins, Agnes Kahl, Emma Schroeder.

BARTON HEIGHTS.

There will be the usual services at the Church of the Epiphany at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. to-day, this being the Sunday before Lent. The sermon will be on 1 Cor. 13, 8, in the morning, and on 1 Cor., 13, 13 at night.

Appropriate services may also be expected next Wednesday at 8 P. M., that being Ash Wednesday, All are invited to attend.

Miss Maria Magruder. of Albemarie county, is visiting her sister, Mrs. G. B. Taylor.

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ing Mr. James Carter, has left for his nome in Charlotte.
Mr. and Mrs. William Clark, of Raleigh,
nave left for their home after a very
cleasant visit to their friend, Mrs. Chas.

pleasant visit to the perkins.

Mr. J. G. Jeter, who has been visiting relatives in Caroline county, has reurned home.

Mr. George Walker, of Norfolk, is the guest of Mr. James Norton.

Mrs. F. M. Hatcher, who has been visiting Mrs. Jones, has returned to her home

Mrs. Estes, who has been visiting Mrs. S. P. Jones, has left for her home in

Louisa. Miss Clara Jordan, who has been visit-Miss Clara Jordan, who has been valing Mrs. C. H. Jones, has left for her home in Baltimore.

Mr. John Wilkinson has returned to his home in Norfolk after a visit to Mr. Chas W. Johnson.

SEVEN PINES. Miss Beulah Tiller, a recent graduate of Farmville Seminary, was a guest of the Misses Read on Wednesday Miss Carrie Lyne visited in Richmond the past week, where she was the recipient of flattering attention.

Mrs. Geo. Graves has been a guest the past week in the village, visiting a number of her old friends. Mr. Willie Lyne, who has been laid up for a fow days with an injured foot, is able to be out.

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The following out-of-town guests visited here the past week: Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Frazier, Genesee, N. Y.; H. J. Windram and Jas. S. Windram, E. Liverpool, Ohio; W. R. Jones, Akron, Ohio; Fred. E. Scroggs, Lishon, Ohio; Miss Temple Bud, Baltimore, Md.; W. S. Smithey, Marlon, St. C.; H. L. Grove, Somerville, Va.; E. F. McCarter, Cole, Va.; M. B. McKinna, May, N. C.; J. L. Ford, Cable, N. C.; H. C. Wilson, Williamsport, Pa.; W. M. Relliy, New York City; Thos. W. Geary, Worchester, Mass.; Dr. C. C. Terrell, Hinton, W. Va.; W. B. Walsh, Lawrence, Mass.; Mrs. Jaines Coagrove, Manchester, Va.; Gilmoro Osgood, and A. S. Peterson, Rockland, Md.

FULTON NOTES.

Improvements have been begun at Fulton Park for the opening up of the park, which, when completed, will make it even more popular than during the past season. There will be a good formal opening of the park after Easter, when a big german will be given, which will be led by Miss Ruby Fulton, daughter of Mr. Fulton, the manager of the park, and many popular young people of Richmond are expected.

Harvie Garthright of Hanover Co. bear Harvie Garthright of Hanover Co. has accepted a position with John Rattle-bach.

bach.
Mrs. S. W. McKinney and children have
returned from a very delightful trip to
Powhatan, on a visit to Mrs. McKinney's
sister, Mrs. J. W. Dawson.

CHESTNUT HILL AND

Mr. and Mrs. D. M. O'Brien and little daughter Ellen left last Monday for Baltlinore, where they will visit relatives.

Miss Maude Livesay, who has been quite sick for the past week, is slowly improving. proving.
Air, Christian Goodall, who has been in New York and Baltimore for several days, has returned to his home on Third

days, has returned to his home on Third Avenue.

It is at night.

Appropriate services may also be expected next Wednesday at 8 P. M., that being Ash Wednesday at 8 P. M., that being Ash Wednesday at 18 P. M., that being Ash Wednesday with hits sister at Glymount.

Mrs. Mortimer McCluer and children have no First Avenue after spending the past month with relatives in Orange, Va.

The entertainment for the benefit of Northside Hall will take place on next Therefore the Avenue after spending the past month with relatives in Orange, Va.

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ment is composed of the following ladies:
Mrs. Lynn B. Enslow, Mrs. Mrs. Charles
Wingfield, Miss Rozalle Shafer and Miss
Bessie Wingfield.
Mr. and Mrs. Constance, of Fourth
Avenue, are the guests of relatives in

Mr. Robert Pendleton, of Essex coun

Mr. Robert Pendleton, of Essex country, Va., is visiting his sister, Mrs. E. W. Christian, of Poplar Hill.

The Young People's Progressive Flinch Club was delightfully entertgined last Friday evening by Miss Annie Sale at her home on Third Avenue.

The regular Sunday morning and evening services will be held at Highland Park Methodist Church, conducted by the pastor, Rev. J. B. Asher.

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Miss Jane Brooks, of Fourth Avenue,
Chestnut Hill, has been confined to the
house by sickness for the past week.
Services will be held at the Episcopal
Chapel on Highland Park Sunday after.

noon at 4 o'clock.

Mr. C. W. Vaughan, of Third Avenue,
Highland Park has been quite sick for the past few days.

The Boys' Society held a meeting in the lecture-room Friday night at Highland Park Methodist Church to arrange for

an entertainment to be given next month.

Little Miss Ruth Bowman, who has been confined to the house by suckness, is somewhat improved.

Mrs. Vawter, of Highland Park, will, in a few days, leave for Roncoverte, W. Va., her future home. her future home.

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Little Lucy, the infant daughter of Archer and Sarah McGhee, is a little better, but yet in a critical condition.

Peter Garthright is ill at the home of his mother near Cold Harbor.

The Ladles' Aid Society, of Walnut Grove met at the home of Mrs. Ryland.

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Jenkins on Monday last; many were present; the election of officers occurred. Miss Namie Bates was chosen president; Mrs. Ella Cosby, treasurer; Mrs. Julian Bowles, secretary. After the meeting the lades were invited to the dining-room, where the table was tastefully decorated and laden with fruits and confections, which all enjoyed. The ladies will hold their next meeting at the home of Mrs. Sample Jeter, March 7th.

The Winn W. C. T. U., will meet at the home of Mrs. J. K. Bates on Monday, February 15th.

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Miss India Burnett has returned to
Poplar Grove after a short visit to Rich-

mond.

Mrs. Harvey Smithers and daughter,
Pauline, have returned to their home in
Richmond after spending Sunday with
Mr. Archer McGhee, near Barker's Mill.
Miss Gertia Burnett is the guest of
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Mrs. Dean Burnett spent several days with friends and relatives in Richmond during the past week.

The recent snow has caused the farmers much inconvenience. Very few can yenture to Richmond to sell their produce, and the colored help have flown to their cabins for a good time, and will not as much as feed the stock for their employers.

mot as mice as few miles as the form of the Crawford W. C. T. U. will meet at the home of Mrs. Miller, at Meadow Farm, Wednesday, February 17th. All the members are urged to be present, as business of importance will be discussed. A. G. Allison, of Hickory Grove, spent Wednesday with his sister at Glymount.

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